

KS1 & KS2 Primary Schools' Music Festivals 2024

MK Music Hub



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KS1 – Morning Festival – Wednesday 19 June 2024: 10am to 11.15am
KS1 – Afternoon Festival – Wednesday 19 June 2024: 1pm to 2.15pm
KS2 – Afternoon Festival – Tuesday 18 June 2024: 1pm to 2.15pm

At The Ridgeway Centre, Wolverton Mill, MK12 5TH

Find out how to book

Booking opens on Monday 8 January 2024
places for this popular event will be allocated
on a first come first served basis.



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Please find further information and details of how to book below.

We are delighted to invite you to come along to the Primary Music Singing Festival 2024. As in previous years, there will be a live band and the event will be hosted by Lucy Hollins.

Participating schools should learn three songs at school that we have chosen prior to the event. These songs will be taken from 'Sing Up' and will be available 12 weeks before the event for schools who do not already have 'Sing Up' membership.

Schools that already have 'Sing Up' membership will be able to access the songs at any time.

Participating teachers should attend the meeting on **Wednesday 24 January** (Primary Subject Leaders' Meeting) being held at Stantonbury School from 3.45pm to 5.00pm.

Staff from MK Music Faculty will notify 'Sing Up' of the school email address you give us so that you are able to access the songs.

For the KS1 Festival, schools will be able to bring children in **Year 2** (not suitable for children in Foundation or Year 1) and for KS2 children from **Years 4, 5 and 6**.

The charge is per festival and will be £30 for 1-30 pupils, £75 For 31-90 pupils and £100 for 91+ pupils. **An invoice will be raised to you for the appropriate charge as detailed above.** Please note, no refund will be made for cancellation or non-attendance.

Please indicate on the online booking form which Festival you would like to attend (KS1 or KS2) and for the KS1 festival whether you would like to attend the morning or afternoon festival. If your school is attending both KS1 and KS2 festivals, please submit a separate form for each. All applications will be dealt with in the order in which they are received.

- Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.
- The cost is dependent upon how many children you are bringing. £30 for 1-30 pupils, £75 For 31-90 pupils and £100 for 91+ pupils. This cost will be invoiced. **Unfortunately, we will not be able to provide a refund if you withdraw or are unable to attend.**
- When places have been allocated we will provide you with further details.
- Schools may have two adult places per 30 child places, in the festival. If you need to bring more adults to supervise on the journey, then these people may not be able to enter the auditorium due to numbers stipulated by the venue. Should you require extra SEN assistants then please add this to your 'adults' total on the booking form.
- **What to do now: Booking opens Monday 8 January 2024.**
<https://miltonkeynesmusicHub.co.uk/primary-music-festival-booking-form/>
Closing date is Wednesday 17 January 2024 and places are allocated first come first served basis.

Please note 'Sing Up' will be provided with the following information to provide temporary access to the selected songs. Submitting your booking form will mean you have provided agreement for this information to be passed to them, that you are aware of their [Terms & Conditions](#) and [Privacy Policy](#) and that they may email you:

School name, postcode, full name and email address of the relevant teacher/member of staff who will access the songs on 'Sing Up'.

We look forward to receiving your booking form from Monday 8th January 2024.

Nicola Rose and Kate Knight – Music Curriculum Leaders, MK Music Hub

PRIMARY FESTIVAL TIME LINE

Monday 8 January 2024	Booking Opens 9am – Use this link to book (If your school will be coming to both KS1 and KS2 Festivals, please submit ONE FORM PER FESTIVAL)
Wednesday 17 January 2024	<u>Booking Closes 5pm</u>
Wednesday 24 January 2024	Primary Subject Leaders' Meeting being held at Stantonbury School from 3.45pm to 5.00pm where we will provide more information and guidance on accessing and teaching the songs we have selected to the children you are bringing along to the festival.
KS2 Festival Tuesday 18 June 2024	Primary Music Festival for KS2: Ridgeway Centre – 1pm to 2.15pm
KS1 Festivals Wednesday 19 June 2024 (Choice of two festivals)	Primary Music Festival for KS1: Ridgeway Centre - 10am to 11.15am or 1pm to 2.15pm

Primary Music Singing Festival Animateur - Lucy Hollins



Lucy is one of the most respected conductor-animateurs of her generation. Having studied and won several prestigious prizes in the UK and Canada, her leadership experience ranges across vocal and instrumental music-making with professional, amateur, youth and adult ensembles at the very highest level of each. It has seen her appear on TV and radio, premiering new works, adjudicating competitions, touring extensively throughout the UK and internationally, and working alongside some of the world's finest musicians and directors.

Lucy is Acting Director of Music at the University of Warwick, Conductor of the London Symphony Orchestra's Junior Choir and Associate Conductor of the London Symphony Chorus. She is a leading expert in the field of music education and engagement, specialising in vocal outreach. As a conducting teacher, Lucy enjoys working with musicians of all ages and stages to enable them to be their most confident and effective. She is also a passionate concert designer and presenter, creating exciting performances for young people with many organisations, including the London Philharmonic Orchestra, Warwick Arts Centre and London Symphony Orchestra